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SUBJ WITHDRAWAL OF GENERAL PREFERENTIAL TARIFF ON RUBBER FOOTWEAR

1. MINISTER OF INDUSTRY, TRADE AND COMMERCE GILLESPIE ANNOUNCED ON AUGUST 28 THAT EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY THE GOC HAS SUSPENDED THE GENERAL PREFERENTIAL TARIFF (GPT) ON RUBBER FOOTWEAR AND REINSTATED THE 20 PERCENT MFN TARIFF. IMPORTS FROM COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES, HOWEVER, WILL CONTINUE TO BE ALLOWED DUTY-FREE ENTRY UNDER THE BRITISH PREFERENTIAL TARIFF.

2. GILLESPIE STATED THE ACTION WAS TAKEN AT THE REQUEST OF CANADIAN PRODUCERS WHO HAVE ESTABLISHED TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE GOC AND THE MINISTER OF FINANCE THAT DUTY-FREE ENTRY FROM GPT BENEFICIARIES HAS CAUSED LOSS OF EMPLOYMENT AND SIGNIFICANT INJURY.
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